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**16.2 Avoid References to the reader/author**

MY SENTENCE: These devices create a very concrete picture help the readers understand the speakers' point of view.

EXPLANATION: Because Mr. Lane said so.

REVISED EXAMPLE: These devices create a very concrete picture help understand the speakers' point of view.

ORIGINAL EXAMPLE (good): The first step is to make sure that all of the ingredients are present.

ORIGINAL EXAMPLE (bad): The first step you do is make sure that you have all the ingredients.